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In re Application of:) Examiner: TRAN, MY CHAUT
 Benkovic, et al)
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Application No. 10/615,703) Art Unit: 1639
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Filed: July 9, 2003) Confirmation No.: 5892
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For: Treatment of Bacterial Induced Diseases)
 Using DNA Methyl Transferase Inhibitors)

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RESPONSE TO THE OFFICE ACTION MAILED DECEMBER 5, 2006

Dear Sir:

Responsive to the Office Action mailed December 5, 2006, the Applicants respectfully requests the Examiner to reconsider the above-identified patent application in view of the following amendments and remarks.

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